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THURSDAY, SEPT. 17, 1896.

NATIONAL DEM. TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT,
JOHN McCAULEY PALMER,
OF Illinois.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
SIMON BOLIVAR BUCKNER,
OF Kentucky.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Circuit Judge.
Judge R. F. Day, of Mt. Sterling, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge in the Twenty-first Judicial district, composed of the counties of Bath, Menifee, Montgomery and Rowan.

M. S. Tyler, of Mt. Sterling, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge in this (the 21st) Judicial district.

Charles W. Nesbitt is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Judge of this district.

For Sheriff.
George T. Young, of Owingsville, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Bath county, with Seth Bots, of Sharpsburg precinct, for deputy.

Johnson M. Atchison, of Wyoming precinct, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Bath county.

For Jailor.
We are authorized to announce Samuel T. Jones, of White Oak, a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailor of Bath county. Election, November, 1897.

John Jackson, of Preston, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailor of Bath Co.

Cabe S. Ratliff, of Bald Eagle, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailor of Bath county.

Public School Superintendent.
W. Jasper Lacy, of near Owingsville, is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Bath Co. Superintendent of Public Schools. Election, November, 1897.

Billy Bryan keeps a cryin':
"Down with the ups!"

Democratic principles first, Democratic organization and the offices afterwards.

This campaign will gauge pretty accurately the power of demagoguery with this nation's people.

The gold reserve is growing rapidly, which is a bad sign for Bryanism. It was over \$109,000,000 Saturday.

HEADSMAN MAXWELL. Fourth Assistant Postmaster General, is shouting for Palmer and Buckner. Let the good work go on.

Ten festive tornado is no respecter of place. One struck Paris, France, last week and did much damage, killing several people and wounding many more.

"No use'n talkin', Jones; my name's Bill Bryan. Stuck-on-his-equence and I'm go'n' to stump New England if it beats me!" And Jones had to let him went.

It looks now as though Bryan would carry Arkansas in November, and with Utah and Nevada he will have done very well indeed for one so young.—Louisville Post.

The Populist national headquarters asks dollar contributions to its campaign fund. Of course it prefers 100-cent dollars, but probably wouldn't refuse even Mexican 50-cent dollars.

U. S. SENATOR CARTER, of Montana, was a leader of the silver Republicans at St. Louis, but he is now for McKinley. The tree root and other planks in the Chicago platform are too much for him.

POPLISTS.—"Give us the core." **POPOCRATS.**—"They ain't goin' to be no core to this Presidential apple."

And the Populists keep getting madder and madder at the Popocrats.

As attack on Gen. Palmer's war record is a two-edged weapon. For every vote that Bryan gains by it in Kentucky a dozen will be lost to him in the Northern and Western States of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, etc.

The readers of the neat, bright-faced little Mt. Sterling Journal will miss its weekly visits now that it has been merged into the Gazette, which as the Gazette-Journal will probably be issued semi-weekly before long.

SENATOR DAVY B. HILL ain't doin' a thing but worryin' the life out of his Popocratic brethren. He declined without thanks his election as an Albany delegate to the New York State convention because it bound him to get on the Chicago dump.

COL. JOHN O. HODGES, a genuine original silverite, aspirant for the Popocratic Congressional nomination in the Lexington district, has a design of skinning his rival Flopper Bronston and will pepper and salt the quivering raw flesh in his characteristic style.

The official returns in the Arkansas State election in 61 out of the total 63 counties give a Democratic plurality of 45,255. The plurality in 1894 was 48,724. So there is no particular comfort for those calculating on the growth of silverism.

Because Bryan draws big crowds is no sign that the voters among them are going to support him. Janbo, the two-headed girl and other freaks drew big crowds, but only a few of the most hopeless would have voted for either for President.

The Populist National headquarters has sent out an appeal for campaign funds headed with the declaration that "the Democratic party would destroy the Populist party were it to get into power."

That helps show what a stupid failure Popocracy is.

"TENTHMAN trize the moral grip. Adam and Eve wuz very good plums until the Devil shook that bush; then they let go. That hold immediately."—Josh Billings. The temptation of repudiation by silverism is trying the moral grip of the American people.

The Republican State Committee of Nebraska has polled Bryan's home precinct and finds it overwhelmingly for McKinley. It says: "It is a certainty that Bryan can not carry his precinct, ward, county, Congressional district or State." The poll of Bryan's precinct showed for McKinley, 210; for Bryan, 71; doubtful, 11.

The wielders of "big butch, little butch, granny's knife and cob-handle" voted unanimously for silverism at the Arkansas State election last week, and Popocracy boasts of a 50,000 plurality. Mark Twain, who plied the Mississippi for many years, locates the center of ignorance in Arkansas.

The Frankfort Capital says:—"The free silver campaign in Kentucky has knocked the stuffing out of one of Gov. Bradley's campaign points. Will the Governor look upon Jim McCreary, Charlie Bronston and Chairman Sommers and say that a Feeble-Minded Institute is not needed in Kentucky?"

In Texas the cry is "Anything to beat Bryan." A fusion ticket has been made giving the Republicans 8 electors, the Populists 4, and the gold-standard Democrats 3, the Republicans to vote for the Populist State ticket. It is claimed by the fusionists that Bryan will be defeated in Texas and the Populists will carry the State election.

"I WANT to say to you in this campaign as I have said to you in every campaign if there is one Democrat who believes that the election of the Chicago ticket would be injurious to his country we have no claim upon his vote. I am one who has never believed the citizen should put his party above his country."—Wm. Jennings Bryan, last week.

BLACKBURN spoke at Owenton last Thursday. John M. Atherton, Judge Holt and Attorney General Taylor were there to speak also, but the hoodlum element raised such a din that Atherton couldn't speak, and the other two wouldn't on that account. It is charged that Blackburn said to his crowd that Atherton should not be allowed to speak, hence the racket.

DOUGLAS, Seymour, Greeley and Blaine, all tried to talk their way into the White House, and all failed. It seems unfair to compare the speeches of Bryan to the eloquent efforts of these great orators, but he will easily take the lead among the "also ran" when the momentous first Tuesday in November has come and gone.—Louisville Post.

The Democrat of this city is the representative of the silver Democracy. This is a pretty rare remark, and may hurt the feelings of some good people who honestly believe in free silver, but it is true. And the Democrat, which was started to fill a long felt want, will soon fill a long credit hole along with the "cause" that it represents.—Frankfort Capital.

MEN who are so foolish as to make wagers on the election should not forget the odds which the peculiar circumstances of the campaign have made in favor of those who will take the McKinley end of the betting. If you bet on Bryan and lose you will have to pay in 100-cent dollars. If you bet on McKinley and lose you can compromise at 53 cents on the dollar.—Walter Wellman.

THE North Middletown Advance says: "Of all the contemptible, detestable and damnable things in the world it is to hear a man accuse another of being a bolter when he himself is guilty of the very same trick, as one of our great free-silver friends did when Cleveland was nominated and made the race in 1892—bolted the ticket. Now, my friend, people who live in glass houses should not throw stones."

"Privately, Jones, bein' President ain't shucks to the swell I'm cuttin' around over the earth, with the old women namin' babies after me, the new women speechifyin' for me, and thousands and tens of thousands every day, crowdin' up to shake hands, and it's Mr. Bryan this and it's Mr. Bryan that. You hear Bill talkin' now, Jones—Bill Bryan! Why, gosh blast my fish-hooks, but I feel as light and happy as thistle-down that goes floatin' on and on, whether the wind listeth, dreamily, unspeakably happy, and I could do it for years without satiety. Gorging my egotism and vanity, did you say? Aw gosh long, Jones, you're jealous and envious."

On Monday, Maine held her State election, going Republican by 15,000 to 50,000. The plurality in 1892 was only 14,870. The present is the largest Republican victory in the State's history. The city of Bath, the home of Sewall, went 375 Republican, the largest ever given. The Democrats got less than half a dozen Legislators and no Senators. The defeated Democratic candidate for Governor says the Chicago platform caused it.

SENATOR BEN R. TILMAN'S fate is beginning its adverse work. He is destined to go the way of all bullying, blackguarding political ruffians and become in time only a noisome memory. The turn in his triumphal career came last week when his man Gov. John Gary Evans was defeated for the U. S. Senatorial nomination in the primary by Judge J. H. Earl, who got 43,018 votes to Evans' 39,700. There is some hope for South Carolina when it turns Tiltman down forever.

MARY YELLEN LEASE, Pitchfork Tiltman, Seedless Vest, Sockless Simpson, "General" Coxey, Bloody-bridles Waite, Anarchist-loving Altgeld, Chinook Penneyer, Old Stewart, Carl Browne—all the first-class freaks, frauds and vanity-struck politicians and all of the minor classes of the same, help swell the Bryan crowd. If by any chance Bryan should be elected he would be driven totally distracted in less than a month after his inauguration by the frantic horde clamoring for spoils or telling him how to run the government.

DANIEL S. LAMONT, U. S. Secretary of War, wrote to W. D. Byrum, of Indiana:

"The outcome of the Indianapolis convention in candidates and platform is inspiring to every Democrat who refuses to abandon the principles established by the fathers and steadfastly maintained with pride and honor, and who declines to adopt the new and strange creed proclaimed in a moment of delirium at Chicago and promptly recognized and ratified as its own by the Populist party at St. Louis."

"I prefer to keep the old faith and remain a Democrat, and shall accordingly cast my vote for Palmer and Buckner."

The following was read at the Palmer and Buckner notification meeting in Louisville last Saturday night:

"Bazzard's Bay, Mass., Sept. 10, 1896.—Hon. W. D. Byrum: I regret that I can not accept your invitation to attend the notification on Saturday evening. As a Democrat devoted to the principles and integrity of my party, I should be delighted to be present on an occasion so significant, and to mingle with those who are determined that the voice of true Democracy shall not be smothered and who insist that its glorious standard shall be borne aloft as of old in faithful hands."

"GROVER CLEVELAND."

"No shepherd will read a book on sheep husbandry when a wolf has broken into the fold, until the wolf has been expelled. I believe in party lines. They give stability to the Government. During this campaign it is one's duty to break party lines, yet there is no reason why a man should not return to his party later. The Democrat who comes into our ranks won't get an angelic company, for all Republicans are not yet capable of joining the church."

"I often hear it said: 'we oughtn't to discuss the tariff.' I would rather do so at the present time, but we cannot until the great financial question is disposed of."

Speaker T. B. Reed, at Limerick, Maine.

TALK is cheap. Billy Bryan; it takes 100-cent dollars to pay the laborer honestly for his work, the farmer honestly for his products, and the creditor honestly what is owed him. Your 50-cent silver dollars are a cheat. Your fiat paper dollars are a fraud so rank that it smells to the skies. Leave off your demagoguery or ignorance, whichever you honestly elect it to be, and go home to meditate on your bad break against the nation's honor and its life. Bow your head to receive your deserved awful rebuke in November. If you'll be good you may be forgiven and happier than you have ever been while airing your vanity out in a lumbering, blundering world, that is but little more apt to be right than wrong on any proposition, but which is getting right again fast on the money question.

A GREAT many good people believe the gold standard means that only gold shall be the currency of the country. There never was a greater error. The gold standard means that every dollar in circulation, whether coin or paper, shall be worth as much as a gold dollar. That is what it means, and all it means. It means that in England, France, Germany and the United States, and it is only in the gold-standard countries that actual, practical bimetalism exists. Theoretical bimetalism of the American free-coinage apostle does not exist anywhere, never will exist anywhere, and never will exist anywhere. Who is fool enough to have coined \$100 of gold if he could take the gold bullion to the market and buy enough silver bullion with it to have even 101 silver dollars coined of equal debt-paying capacity? At this time \$100 gold bullion will buy \$200 silver bullion at the ratio of 16 to 1.

Every country that has free coinage of both metals is on a silver basis and coins no gold for domestic currency, and every country that has the gold standard coins and circulates as money much silver and circulates it side by side with gold.—"Savoyard" in Courier-Journal.

DAVID R. FRANCIS, U. S. Secretary of the Interior, telegraphed to W. D. Byrum, of Indiana:

"Regret that I can not accept your invitation to attend the notification of Gen. Palmer and Buckner at Louisville Saturday evening. Those old heroes have fought valiantly for their convictions on many battlefields, but no patriot ever enlisted in a nobler cause than that which they have consented to lead. It is the maintenance of the country's honor and the preservation of the integrity of Democratic principles, on whose perpetuity depends the survival of our institutions."

"May the nominees receive that earnest and zealous support which their high character and the National Democratic party's pure aims so richly merit."

JUDGE C. W. GOODPASTER, Asst. Ninth district Palmer and Buckner elector, will address the people, on political issues, at Grayson, Carter county, next Saturday at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, Sept. 19th. We can promise the people who will have served him that they will have more than mere school-boy florid, gaudy rhetoric, that is misty in logic and devoid of information of a necessary kind on the burning financial question. Judge Goodpaster is an accurate, cogent logician, who has a mind richly stored with the learning of history and a comprehensive knowledge of current politics. He will teach those necessary facts and aid all who hear him to take the rational view of political matters that are of most vital importance now.

Is accepting the nomination of the Silver party, Wm. Jennings Bryan said, at Lincoln, Nebraska, last week:

"I know something of the strength of party ties, and because I was in a position where I looked forward to a possibility of like action of my own part, I can appreciate the depths of a conviction that led them to place the interests of their country above the welfare of their party. More than a year ago, when we were engaged in a struggle to bring the Democratic party to an endorsement of free coinage, the question was put to me whether, in the case of failure, I would support the Democratic nominee if he were a gold-standard advocate, running upon a gold-standard platform. I never believed that such action was probable in the Democratic party then, but when those who questioned me were not content with probabilities and asked again whether, in that event, I would support the nominee, I said as you will remember, that under no circumstances would my vote be given to a man who would, in the executive office, use his influence to fasten the gold standard upon the American people."

"The Republicans can not be criticised for leaving the Republican party. They have done what every American citizen has a right to do. They have done better than our Democratic advocates of the gold standard have done, because the Republicans when they left the party, joined with those who had a chance to succeed, while our Democratic advocates of the gold standard sought to secure the election of Republican candidates by nominating a Democratic candidate."

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(Toledo Blade.)

Confedric X Roads,

(which is in the State of Kentucky.)

August 28.

Ez a matter of course, there never was a time in the history of this place that it wasn't in that state of financial helth. The distinction between the people to labor—the porousness of the clay which requires so much like fillin, and the loss of time resultin, makes it extremely difficult for anything like accumulation to happen, consequently borerin is the principal industrial pursuit, which would be well served if they want't any payin. Payin is wat blites a man, and cripples his energies. Payin is slowly, but shoorly underminin the Corners, and sappin its prosperity. I hate payin. It robs a dollar up all its delite to know you hev got to pay it agin, after you hev spent it. Wat I shood like wood be to hev dollars like reprodooses their selves. Ef two dollars cood only marry and hev large families! That wood be suthin like.

Free silver places us here for several reasons. The Corners is largely composed up the debtor class. We are all in debt. That graspin Shylock, Bascom, hev furnisht us the necessities up life these twenty years, and hez kept on "chargin it up," when we didn't pay, with the remorseless acreancy of a feend.

He never cood get no mortgage out of me to seconor hisself for the reason that I don't happen to hev anything to mortgage, but he does hold mortgages on Deekin Pogran's place, and also on every other place in the vicinity, for money lent and supplies furnished. Wat happens? Why, Bascom wants his pay. He sneerly sez that ef we don't expect to pay wat do we drink fur? "Kin I buy likker in Louisville, and sell it to you without pay?" sez he.

bury them decently and in order. Remember, if you had not bought buggies, bicycles and a thousand other of the luxuries of life, that you would have been as well fixed financially."

Bloody-shirt criticisms of Gen. Palmer were forestalled by the action of the Indianapolis convention nominating on the ticket with Palmer one of the most eminent living Confederate soldiers. Gen. Buckner reached the rank of Lieutenant General in the Confederate army, and no other citizen of Kentucky did. Gen. Buckner's loyalty and valuable services to the "Lost Cause" can not be questioned at this late day. His honorable position in the history of that memorable struggle is secure from all assaults of mere politicians. If he, a brave ex-Confederate chieftain, a statesman, a scholar, an undisciplined Democrat and a citizen of unquestioned integrity, can fraternize with an equally brave, honest ex-Federal Major General on a platform of pure Democracy any effort to revive the sectional animosities of the war period will not succeed with people who know there is nothing now to be gained by it but purely mischievous results. The war issues have long been dead. The live issues now were made by the Chicago platform and ticket. Jeffersonian Democrats can not support either and defend their position with true logic.

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Ah! et he only knows how pleasant it is to drink and how unpleasant it is to pay he would change his mind about it. But there are very few large-hearted men in the world.

Bascom wants his money and Bascom is consequently a Shylock. He is an oppressor, and a grinder up the faces up the people. We wood rise up in our wrath and mob him, but alas! there ain't no one vus wich hez credit enuff for a bad uv likker in Louisville, and so we hev to endure him.

Therefore we rejoice at the prospect uv free silver. When we hev such a law passed, and the silver miners uv the great West hev got things fixed so that they kin pay wat they owe in their own silver, they will hist it out to an extent which will make it ez cheep ez cood be wished. Then we will hev this youser, which holds destruck-shen over us. Our land—I am speakin uv the other citizens now which hev land—will go up ten times in valyoo. Land which is now with \$40 an acre will spin up to \$400—in silver—and we will sell enuff to git wat we owe Bascom, and we will load a cart with it and take it to that unmerciful creditor and compel him to take it and release us from his dominishin. I see in my mind's eye that deer, delitoful old saint, Deekin Pogran, makin' a deed for two acres of the hundred and fifty hez. That miserable, grindin' Bascom lent him \$1,000 four years ago wich hez bin runnin on interest ever sence, and he has a bar bill uv perhaps \$300 more, makin all perhaps \$1,500, wich this Shylock holds agin him. There will be a speklator from Louisville, down to the Corners a buyin land.

"Deekin, wat will you ask me an aker for two akers of the east side uv your place?" says the speklator.

"Mirandy," sez the deekin, "wat do I owe that croel, hard-hearted Shylock uv a Bascom?"

"One thousand five hundred dollars," sez the deekin, "you kin hev two akers for jist \$1,500. I must git out uv the clutches uv that monster wich demands remorselessly the money he lent me. Oh, the hard-heartedinis uv this world! Thank heaven, I hev but a few more years uv it. Mirandy, send the juy to Bascom's, and tell him I'll try to pay him suthin on account next week."

And then the land will we sold (the two akers), leavin the deekin 15s, wich is enuff, and the deekin will load the silver in his cart, and will take it over to Bascom's, and dump it triumphantly down on the floor, and demand his release. Then will he be free uv this shark—he will satisfy this cormorant—he will walk the streets erect, a free man. Then will everybody do likewise, but me, and I persoom I will, for silver will be so cheep that I kin probably borner enuff to pay the graspin man wat I owe him.

We held a meetin last nite and resolved that it wuz the sentiment uv the Corners that silver shood be remonetized, and that the crime of 1873 shood be atoned fur. It wuz an enthusiastic meetin, made up entirely uv the debtor class. I made a stirrin speech wich wood hev had an immense effect but for one triflin draw-back. I wuz dilatin on the "Dollar uv the Fathers," and sed with a burst of elokeny, "Look at this piece of money!" It wuz this kind uv money which carried the money thrue."

It wuz an unfortunit uv gitatin at things. For I didn't hev a piece uv silver in my pocket, and I appealed to the aujence to hunt one up that I mite give pint to the fite, but alas! they wuzn't a piece of silver in the house, not even a dime. But I turned this to akount even. I pride myself on bein able to pluck the flosser Safety from the nettle Danger. Most men wood hev been disconcerted at this, but not me. "My friends," I sed, "when we hev this silver bill past I wery be caught in this awkward fix. Ev'ry man in the Corners will hev a cart-load uv it."

And they give three cheers for the silver bill and adjourned.

PETROLEUM V. NASBY, Financeer.

CORRESPONDENCE.

Forge Hill.

The health of the community is better than for some time past.

Miss Ida Harmon went to Midway last week. This is her second year at the College.

W. A. Williams left on the 13th inst. to continue his course in the Lexington Bible College.

Perry McCarty and family visited the family of James Whittington Saturday and Sunday.

The free-silver party met here Friday night and organized a club of 600 members. [Three eiphers in the copy tell the story.—Ed.]

Sherburne.

Avery Burgess has arrived home from a three-weeks' visit to friends in Indiana.

There will be a supper on Thursday night at Gilead Church for the benefit of the church.

Judge Goodpaster, of Owingsville, was the guest of his brother, B. M., Monday of last week.

A cow belonging to Wm. Calvert was killed by lightning during the thunder storm here Saturday night.

The firm of Burgess Bros. has changed to O. S. & L. F. Burgess, they purchasing the interest of the former.

Several of our citizens contemplated a trip to Maysville or Lexington Tuesday to meet Bryan. A big time was anticipated.

Odessa.

Jas. Powell and wife, of Flat Creek, are visiting the latter's parents, J. W. Darnell and wife.

Jas. Uder and wife, of Soldier, Carter Co., are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Jeannette Snedegar, near here.

F. T. Jones and wife went to Flemingsburg Monday, the latter for further treatment under Dr. Aitkin, who has been treating her for the past month with great success. She gained 10 lbs. in the last two weeks.

Mrs. Robt. Collier has been for two weeks and is still quite poorly with typhoid fever. Also Willie Garner, son of the late Anderson Garner, is very sick with same; Tommie, son of Wm. Riddle, is down with the same; Mrs. Amanda Kerns is convalescent.

Ewington.

Mr. Orme is resting better. Mr. Rolph's son and Mr. Burns' son are able to be out.

J. W. Pollard, of Georgetown, is up on a visit to friends and his best girl.

Henry Hedrick and wife, of near Owingsville, are visiting Put Burns and family.

Miss Bessie Lane took a flying trip to Versailles to see her brother Newton and sister, Mrs. McConnell.

Mr. and Mrs. John William lost a little baby girl last week. They have our sympathy. It was the first they have lost.

Farmers are about done housing tobacco and have gone to cutting corn. The most complaint is the dry weather and dust.

Preston.

J. J. Thomas was in Howard's Mill Sunday.

H. M. Turley, of Stepstone, was here Saturday.

Pat Piersall, of Young's Springs, was here Sunday.

Several from here attended Court in Owingsville Monday.

Miss Clark, of Mt. Sterling, is the guest of Miss Bessie Bots.

We are sorry to say we have a whisky shop in our little town again.

Rev. Kendall preached to a large crowd at Chestnut Grove Sunday.

Mrs. Josie Shouse and Miss Crooks Bots were in Mt. Sterling Saturday.

J. D. Turley and wife and Miss Lillie Johnson visited friends at Stepstone Saturday and Sunday.

Fiat Creek.

Tobacco is all cut, and corn-cutting has commenced.

G. G. and J. C. Hamilton were in Cincinnati the past week on business.

Clarence and Arthur Power, who had been here for 10 days, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wade and Miss Emma Wade are visiting friends and relatives in Nicholas Co.

At a meeting of the voters of this place on 12th inst. at Fassett's school-house, the Bryan Free-silver club was organized with 50 members. John Harper was chosen President and J. J. Mark Secy.

Frank Fisher and family, of Hull, England, will visit the family of J. W. Fassett, Esq., on the 20th inst. Mr. Fisher is manager of an English syndicate now at British Honduras, Central America, has associated with him Roger Fassett and R. A. Mason, both of this county.

East Fork of Flat Creek.